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1. PLEASE PASS THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM DR. HILL, US/USSR
WORKING GROUP ON THE NATURAL ENVIRONMENT, TO HIS SOVIET
COUNTERPART, PROFESSOR ZONN.

2. 04.04.00 APRIL 11, 1977

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DEAR PROFESSOR ZONN:
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WE HAVE RECEIVED AND REVIEWED THE USSR PRELIMINARY PROGRAM
FOR ANALYSIS OF OBSERVATION OF MATERIAL FROM KURSK. AS
MR. JAFFE NOTED IN HIS APRIL 8 LETTER TO PROFESSOR KHODAREV,
WE WILL DISCUSS THIS PLAN AT THE MEETING OF AGRICULTURAL
SPECIALISTS. IT APPEARS THAT THE US AND USSR PLANS ARE NOT
COMPARABLE. WE RECOMMEND THAT THE USSR FINAL PROGRAM MORE

SPECIFICALLY IDENTIFY DATA ELEMENTS THAT WILL BE COLLECTED

AND EVALUATED, AND MORE FULLY DESCRIBE METHODS OF ANALYSIS,
INCLUDING THE STATISTICAL RELATIONSHIPS THAT WILL BE
DEVELOPED FOR EACH OF THE DATA ELEMENTS BEING COLLECTED.
ILLUSTRATIVE TABULATIONS AND GRAPHIC MATERIALS IMPORTANT
TO BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF THE ANALYSIS PLAN WOULD ALSO BE
HELPFUL.

SINCERELY,

DR. HOWARD HILL
AGRICULTURAL ECONOMIST
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